

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Yozo UCHIDA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 9358
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Application No.: 10/593,102	:	Group Art Unit: 2828
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Filed: September 15, 2006	:	Examiner: ZHANG, Yuanda
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATION THEREOF	:	

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Restriction
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

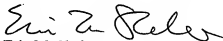
Sir:

Noting the Office Action of August 11, 2008 wherein restriction has been required,
Applicants hereby elect Group I (claims 27-31) for prosecution in the above-identified
application.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is
hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper,
including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to
such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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